

**Motor Vehicle Traffic Safety Facts, Bucks County, Pennsylvania****Trend of Fatalities, 1997-2001**

		1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Fatality Counts	Total Fatalities	64	52	73	60	64
	Alcohol-Related	29	26	35	22	37
	Single Vehicle	27	21	37	30	36
	Non-Junction	42	36	54	33	45
	Intersection	15	13	16	21	8
	Intersection-Related	0	0	0	0	0
	Speeding Involved	19	19	29	19	26
	Pedestrians	6	9	14	4	9
	Pedalcyclists	1	1	0	3	1
	Large Truck Involved	10	6	4	6	8
	Roadway Departure	33	26	42	26	32
	Passenger Car Occupants	40	32	42	34	35
	Light Truck/Van Occupants	15	6	12	7	12
	Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	0	1	1	2	1
	Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	55	39	55	43	48
	Motorcycle Riders	2	3	4	10	6

Source: Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) Files

**Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age 5+)
By Restraint Use, 2001**

Fatalities	Total	Restrained	Unrestrained	Unknown
2001	47	14	21	12

**Motorcyclist Rider Deaths (age 5+)
By Helmet Use, 2001**

Fatalities	Total	Helmeted	Unhelmeted	Unknown
2001	6	6	0	0

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Fatalities, Fatality Rates per 100,000 Population and Ranks Within State, 2001

	2001			
	Fatalities	Rank Within State	Fatality Rate	Rank Within State
Total Fatalities	64	3	10.59	59
Alcohol-Related	37	3	6.12	33
Single Vehicle	36	4	5.96	48
Non-Junction	45	3	7.45	53
Intersection	8	12	1.32	49
Intersection-Related	0	0	0	0
Speeding Involved	26	3	4.30	49
Pedestrians	9	5	1.49	29
Pedalcyclists	1	7	0.17	11
Large Truck Involved	8	4	1.32	37
Roadway Departure	32	5	5.30	54
Passenger Car Occupants	35	4	5.79	48
Light Truck/Van Occupants	12	4	1.99	49
Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	1	11	0.17	28
Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	48	5	7.95	55
Motorcycle Riders	6	4	0.99	29

Rank =1 indicates Highest Number of Fatalities or Fatality Rate in State.